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THERMAL DEVICE AND APPARATUS THEREFOR

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2003, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This response includes Amendments to the Claims and Remarks.

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